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NEWS SUMMARY:

United States Attorney Steven M. Biskupic announced today that a federal grand jury has issued an indictment charging Jeffrey B. Colquitt, 38, with possession of child pornography. Colquitt, of Oak Creek, WI, is a pilot with Skyway Airlines. The indictment alleges that Colquitt used a computer to possess several images of minors engaging in sexually explicit conduct. The material involved prepubescent minors or minors under the age of twelve years. If convicted, Colquitt faces a maximum of ten years in prison and a fine of \$250,000.

The case, which stems from an investigation by the Wisconsin Department of Justice, Division of Criminal investigation, is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Daniel H. Sanders. "The Department of Justice has made the protection of our nation's children a top priority through Project Safe Childhood, and prosecutions such as this further that priority. Regardless of profession or position, those involved in child pornography crimes will be prosecuted and will face real time in federal prison," said United States Attorney Steven M. Biskupic.

The public is cautioned that an indictment is merely the formal method of charging an individual with a crime, and does not constitute evidence of guilt. An individual is presumed innocent until such time, if ever, as the government establishes guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.

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